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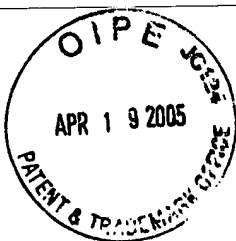
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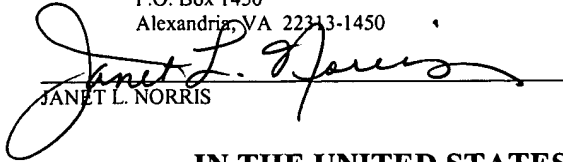
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This paper is responsive to the Office Action mailed February 17, 2005, setting an initial due date of May 17, 2005. This paper is timely filed and no fee is required.

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.116, Applicant proposes amending the application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2; and

Remarks begin on page 4.